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BEFORE THE
ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

AMEREN ILLINOIS COMPANY) DOCKET NO.
d/b/a Ameren Illinois) 11-0469
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Petition for an Order)
pursuant to)
Section 8-509 of the)
Public Utilities Act)
approving use of)
Eminent Domain Power.)

Springfield, Illinois
Thursday, November 3, 2011

Met, pursuant to notice, at 9:00 A.M.

BEFORE:

MR. JOHN ALBERS, Administrative Law Judge

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PROCEEDINGS

JUDGE ALBERS: By the authority vested in me by the Illinois Commerce Commission, I now call Docket Number 11-0469. This docket was initiated by Ameren Illinois Company, and the Company seeks an Order pursuant to Section 8-509 of the Public Utilities Act approving its use of eminent domain power for a transmission line it is building between Ottawa, Illinois, and Wedron, Illinois.

May I have the appearances for the record, please?

MR. STURTEVANT: Good morning, Your Honor.

Appearing on behalf of Ameren Illinois Company, Albert Sturtevant and Rebecca Segal, Carpenter, Lipps and Leland, 180 North LaSalle, Suite 2640, Chicago Illinois 60601. My phone is (312) 777-4820.

MS. VON QUALEN: Jan Von Qualen and Megan McNeill on behalf of the Staff witnesses of the Illinois Commerce Commission, 527 East Capitol Avenue, Springfield, Illinois 62701. My phone is (217) 785-3402.

1 Megan?

2 MS. McNEILL: Hello. 160 North LaSalle, Suite
3 C-800, Chicago, Illinois 60601, (312) 793-8185.

4 JUDGE ALBERS: Thank you.

5 Let the record reflect there are no
6 others wishing to enter an appearance.

7 It is my understanding from the
8 testimony that Staff and the Company are in agreement
9 that the requested relief should be granted, and
10 neither one of them has any questions for the other's
11 witnesses. I, however, have a couple of questions.
12 And given the unavailability of Mr. Rockrohr, we will
13 just be continuing this to November 16 at 9 o'clock
14 when I understand all the witnesses will be
15 available.

16 I would just also like to mention that
17 I am comfortable asking my questions over the phone
18 so I don't see any reason for Mr. Nelson to attend in
19 person. He is certainly welcome to. I would
20 mention, though, that it would be helpful to him if
21 he would have a copy of the Commission's Order in
22 Docket 10-0173 because I will probably be referring

1 to something in that in one of the questions I ask
2 him.

3 Any questions or concerns for today?

4 MR. STURTEVANT: I don't think so, Your Honor.
5 Just to be clear, telephone participation would be
6 okay for Mr. Nelson or he can come in person,
7 whatever his preference?

8 JUDGE ALBERS: Yes. Yeah, I just have two or
9 three questions for him. So I think he is in Peoria,
10 is that correct?

11 MR. STURTEVANT: That's correct.

12 JUDGE ALBERS: I don't think there is any
13 reason for him to spend time in the car just for my
14 questions.

15 So is there anything -- if there is
16 nothing further, then I will continue this to
17 November 16 at 9 o'clock.

18 (Whereupon the hearing in this
19 matter was continued until
20 November 16, 2011, at 9:00 a.m.
21 in Springfield, Illinois.)
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